

# U.S. Senate

## Desk Description and Condition Report

Desk No : **66.00000.099**

Paper Label No.(on shelf bottom): N/A

Painted No. (on bottom): N/A

Other identifying labels or marks (specify location): Stretcher: XCIV / Drawer Back: 4 (stamped twice) / Drawer Blade: 4 (stamped) / Inkwell: 4 (stamped) / Inkwell support box: 4 (stamped)

### Description of Desk

Dimensions (in inches)

	Overall	Orig. Desk*	Case	Shelf
Height	35 3/4	35 3/4		
Width (front)	27 15/16	27 15/16	25 7/16	
Width (rear)	27 7/8	27 7/8	25 7/16	
Depth	20 1/4	20 1/4	19	9 3/4

\* Note: Dimensions do not include "booster" blocks added to feet or writing top.

### Woods

Primary:

Mahogany ☒

Mahogany veneer ☒

Rosewood veneer ☐

Other Wood (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

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Character of case mahogany:

Plain ☒

Ribbon ☐

Mottled ☐

Crotch ☐

Other ☐

Secondary:

Element	Pine	Ash	Poplar	Mahog	Other
Drawer Sides				✓	
Drawer Bottom					Veneered plywood
Drawer Back				✓	
Case Interior				✓	
Drawer Front				✓	

## Construction Details

Leg:

Wood Type	rosewood crossband	other crossband	no crossband
mahog. veneer			
solid mahogany			✓
other: _____			

Foot construction:

1-part ☒2-part ☐5-part ☐

Other: Solid

Double bead on edge of leg:

Bead: Thick ☒Thin ☐

Leg Thickness: 1 3/16 "

Shape of cross-stretcher edges:

Rounded ☐Rectangular ☒

Spindle type:

Thick

Thin

Other

Number

11

Joinery of lower drawer blade to case sides:

single dovetail ☐2 dovetails ☐3 dovetails ☐lap joint ☐

other: Blind mitre

Shelf molding applied:

Yes ☐No ☒

Cockbead width on bottom of drawer front:

Narrow ☐Full width ☒Opening in original top for inkwell: N/A Yes ☐No ☐Roundels: Single piece ("yo-yo" form) ☐Applied boss ☒

Inset distance of single bead on desk back panel:

Side: 1 3/16"

Top: 1 1/4"

Bottom: 1"

No. of Glue Blocks	Case	Stretch'r	Shelf
Original/Old	10		
New/Recent			
Missing			

Interior case-side flush with corner block? Yes ☐No ☒

Width of drawer-opening offset

Right : N/A

Left : N/A

## Condition of Desk

### Structure

Previous breaks in structural elements: Yes ☐  
(shown on schematic)  
No ☒

Current split or broken elements: Yes ☐  
(shown on schematic)  
No ☒

Other loose or damaged joinery: Yes ☐  
(describe in narrative)  
No ☒

Damage to drawer front: Extreme ☐  
Moderate ☒  
Minor ☐

Drawer lock: relocated on face Yes ☐

Drawer lock: resized on inside Yes ☐

Cockbead on drawer front: Damaged ☒  
(show on schematic)  
Missing ☐  
Loose ☐  
Replacements ☐

Replaced drawer-side runners: Yes ☐  
No ☒

Replaced case-side runners: Yes ☐  
No ☒

Drawer bottom pieced-out at back edge: Yes ☐  
No ☒

Wear on Feet	Extreme	Moderate	Minor
Front	✓		
Rear			✓

Number of loose spindles: No: 0

Number of replaced spindles: No: 0  
(show on schematic)

Replaced veneers and cross-banding: Yes ☐  
(show on schematic)  
No ☒

Missing veneers and cross-banding: Yes ☒  
(show on schematic)  
No ☐

Delaminated/loose veneers & cross-banding: Yes ☐  
(show on schematic)  
No ☒

Shelf supports: Original/old ☐  
New/recent ☐  
Missing ☐

Spindle support board in case: Yes ☐  
No ☒

## Finish

Age	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
New		✓		
Old				
Unk.				

Note: Describe finish problems in narrative.

## Hardware/Attachments

Item	Mismatch	Missing	Damaged
Knob (L)			✓
Knob (R)			✓

Toe cap size:

Right toe: 19 A

Left toe: 19 A